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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hans-Henning Zutz
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Title : SLIP RING SEAL
Grp./A.U. : 3676
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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated September 9, 2004, please amend this application as follows: